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		NONE					Yes	No

**OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Authors, Title, Date, Pertinent Papers, etc.)**

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	X	"Lightweight Valve Train Materials," Report based on research conducted under DOE Cooperative Agreement DE-FC05-97OR22579, U.S. Dept. of Energy, Metals and Ceramics Division, Heavy Vehicle Propulsion Materials Program Quarterly Progress Report, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, TN (Jan-March 2005) 10 pages.
	X	Tamman et al., "Zur Rekristallisation von Metallen und Salzen," <i>Zeitschrift für Anorganische und Allgemeine Chemie</i> , 1923; 126:119-128 (11 pgs), and English translation (11 pgs).

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